

Exhibit K

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CARLA ALLEN,)
)
Plaintiff,)
)
vs.) CASE NO. DR180132
)
BRENNTAG NORTH AMERICA,)
INC.; (sued individually)
and as successor-in-interest)
to MINERAL PIGMENT)
SOLUTIONS, INC., and as)
successor-in-interest to)
WHITTAKER, CLARK &)
DANIELS, INC.), et al.,)
)
Defendants.)
_____)

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1 direction or another?

2 **A. I don't recall. I haven't done PLM in**
3 **such a long time.**

4 Q. Who are you relying upon in your
5 laboratory to do the PLM analysis?

6 **A. We have a couple people that do it.**

7 Q. Who are they?

8 **A. Paul Hess is one, Bill Egeland is one.**
9 **Those are the two -- those are the two primary people**
10 **who do it.**

11 Q. Would Mr. Hess know what particles would
12 show a parallel extinction?

13 **A. He may know all of them. If we just go**
14 **to, you know, the parallel extinction for tremolite**
15 **oblique, I think they call it, and then if you go to**
16 **ones with the anthophyllite, it will tell you what**
17 **the parallel extinction is for that.**

18 Q. Does tremolite ever show parallel
19 extinction?

20 **A. I don't think so. And again, it's been a**
21 **while since I've done this. The next time we talk I**
22 **can explain it all for you in more detail.**

23 Q. Would there be a difference between
24 asbestiform and nonasbestiform tremolite as it
25 pertains to extinction angles?


C E R T I F I C A T E

STATE OF GEORGIA:

COUNTY OF GWINNETT:

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript was taken down, as stated in the caption, and the questions and answers thereto were reduced to typewriting under my direction; that the foregoing pages 1 through 172 represent a true, complete, and correct transcript of the evidence given upon said hearing, and I further certify that I am not of kin or counsel to the parties in the case; am not in the regular employ of counsel for any of said parties; nor am I in anywise interested in the result of said case.

This, the 18th day of September 2018.


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